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ATTENTION: MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: **FLOSSING DEVICE WITH ADVANCING AND TENSIONING MECHANISM**

- (X) This application is a continuation of U.S. Application Number 09/861,254, filed May 18, 2001, the entirety of which is hereby incorporated by reference.

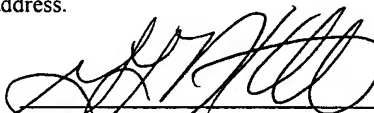
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- (X) 9 sheets of drawing.
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